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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/027,664	SOLOMON ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Igor Borissov	3639	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Igor Borissov. (3) Brian Dorini.
 (2) Deb Dasgupta. (4) ____.

Date of Interview: 8/15/2005.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1,6,11,21 and 26.

Identification of prior art discussed: Gharavy.

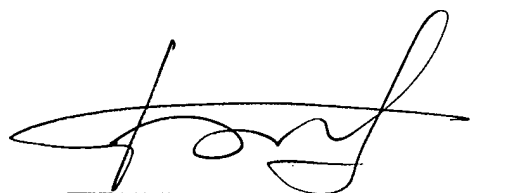
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: During the interview the following issues were discussed: the 101 issue; possible amendment to the independent Claims; the applicability of the prior art. The Applicant argued that the cited portions of the Gharavy's patent do not disclose the step of "communicating to the first participant validation results". The examiner agreed and indicated that further search could be required. Accordingly, next Office action will be non-final.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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Examiner's signature, if required